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Application of: **Jones et al.**

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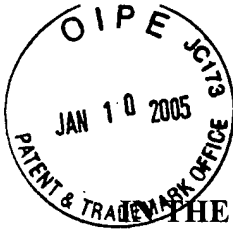
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In response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Revisions to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.